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Examiner:

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Applicant(s): HOFMANN, A., et al

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RENEWED PETITIONS UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b) AND 1.47(a)

March 26, 2007

Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Office of PCT Legal Administration
Attn: Richard M. Ross, Attorney Advisor

Reference is made to the Decision on Petition dated March 15, 2007. The petition concludes that applicants must supplement the present submission with evidence confirming the delivery to the legal representative of the letters requesting for signature, as well as evidence confirming that the legal representative has been provided with a copy of the present application.

The Examiner further notes that while the renewed petition refers to a statement from a representative of the assignee regarding the legal representatives refusal to sign any documents, applicants have not provided this letter.